

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Paul K. Frost

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act entitling residents west of 128 to discounted access to the Massachusetts Turnpike.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

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DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

7th Worcester

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3482 OF 2007-2008.]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT ENTITLING RESIDENTS WEST OF 128 TO DISCOUNTED ACCESS TO THE MASSACHUSETTS TURNPIKE.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority
of the same, as follows:*

1 Section 10 of chapter 354 of the Acts of 1952 is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following
2 new sentence:— The Massachusetts Turnpike Authority is hereby directed to develop and institute a program
3 providing discounted toll rates to residents who reside in communities that host any part of the Massachusetts
4 Turnpike west of Route 128, and who participate in the Fast Lane Toll program set forth by the Commonwealth of
5 Massachusetts, when they use the Massachusetts Turnpike. Such a discount shall be set at a rate which is not less
6 than a ten percent discount off the maximum percentage toll provided by the Massachusetts Turnpike Authority to
7 the residents of any other community in the Commonwealth.